

APPENDIX

1 3. (Amended) The method of claim 2, further comprising:
2 subtracting the alpha value from the predetermined
3 threshold value to arrive at a second result.

1 10. (Amended) A system comprising:
2 a controller to associate an alpha value with a signal to
3 be displayed; and
4 a processor coupled to the controller to execute [for
5 executing] a software program which includes instructions to
6 enable the system to adjust a flicker filter based upon the
7 alpha value.

1 12. (Amended) The system of claim 11, wherein the software
2 program further includes instructions to enable the system to:
3 compare [compares] the alpha value to a predetermined
4 threshold value to produce a result; and
5 adjust [adjusts] one of the plurality of levels of the
6 flicker filter based upon the result.

1 16. (Amended) The system of claim 11, wherein the software
2 program further includes instructions to enable the system to:
3 evaluate [evaluates] the signal to produce a threshold
4 value;
5 compare [compares] the alpha value to the threshold value
6 to produce a result; and
7 adjust [adjusts] one of the plurality of levels of the
8 flicker filter based upon the result.

1 18. (Amended) The article of claim 17, further storing
2 instructions that, upon execution, enable [a] the processor-
3 based system to:
4 compare the alpha value to a predetermined threshold value
5 to arrive at a result; and
6 adjust filter level of the flicker based on the result.

1 19. (Amended) The article of claim 18, further storing
2 instructions that, upon execution, enable [a] the processor-
3 based system to subtract the alpha value from the predetermined
4 threshold value to arrive at a second result.

1 20. (Amended) The article of claim 19, further storing
2 instructions that, upon execution, enable [a] the processor-
3 based system to:
4 divide the second result by an alpha step value to arrive
5 at a third result; and
6 adjust the filter level based on the third result.

1 21. (Amended) The article of claim [17] 18, further
2 storing instructions that, upon execution, enable [a] the
3 processor-based system to:
4 turn off the flicker filter when the predetermined
5 threshold value exceeds the alpha value.

1 22. (Amended) The article of claim [17] 18, further
2 storing instructions that, upon execution, enable [a] the
3 processor-based system to:
4 adjust the filter level when the alpha value exceeds the
5 predetermined threshold value.